



2009 Special Events

Potato Creek State Park

P.O. Box 908 NORTH LIBERTY, IN 46554

February 28, 2009

BLUEBIRD NEST BOX WORKSHOP – Come make a bluebird nest box to take home and learn how to manage it for bluebirds. For ages 8 and up. *Advance registration required*, limit 40. \$10 fee

April 4, 2009

BAT HOUSE WORKSHOP - Learn a little more about these beneficial animals and make a bat house to take home. For ages 8 and up. *Advance registration required*, limit 40. \$10 fee

April 11, 2009

EGG HUNT - The bunny will visit and leave treats for kids of all ages. Come join in the search for these springtime treats. Hosted by the Friends of Potato Creek.

April 16, 2009

TURKEY HUNTING WORKSHOP - This workshop will focus on safety; tips & tricks; equipment and laws for turkey hunters. It will be taught by Indiana Conservation Officers and other experts in the field.

April 25, 2009

WILDFLOWER WEEKEND - Come spend the weekend to enjoy the spring wildflowers at their peak and join in the various walks and workshops offered.

Saturday, May 2-3, 2009

WELCOME BACK WEEKEND - It's spring and time to check out your equipment for the recreation season. Plan a shake down camping trip and take part in this weekend of special events.

Saturday, June 6, 2009

NATIONAL TRAILS DAY - Help the Friends of Potato Creek on a trail clean up project and take part in the other special events to celebrate National Trails Day.

July 12, 2009

MOUNTAIN BIKE TIME TRIALS - Come race against the clock on this 6.6 mile trail. \$10 registration fee. Helmets required. There will be different skill classes, from beginner to expert elite. First heat is at 10 AM.

Saturday, August 1, 2009

'TATER TRADITIONS - This in depth program will focus on the cultural traditions of the past at Potato Creek. Activity topics will include farmstead and park development. \$1-\$5 Craft fee for materials. No advance registration required. Number of participants will be limited.

September 19, 2009 until winter

PRAIRIE MAZE OPENS - Wander through the 1.5 miles of trails cut in the 7 foot tall restored prairie grasses and try to unravel the mystery of the maze.

September, 2009

NATIONAL PUBLIC LANDS DAY - Join in this nationwide effort to preserve our public lands and help on this park clean up day.

September 19-20

HUNTER EDUCATION CLASS - This is a 10 hour course. You must attend both days to receive your certification..

October 3-4, 2009

PRAIRIE HARVEST WEEKEND – A delightful weekend full of events centered around the harvest. Activities will include a prescribed fire demonstration, crafts and scarecrow building contest. Number of participants will be limited in the workshops. Fees will range from \$1 to \$10 for the various crafts and workshops.

October 31, 2009

HALLOWEEN HAPPENINGS – The campground will bustle with Halloween events this weekend. There will be pumpkin carving, a costume contest, campsite decoration contest, trick or treating (for campers only), a potluck dinner and more! This weekend will be co-sponsored by the Friends of Potato Creek.

Programs are free of charge (except as noted) and open to the public after paying the park admission fee.

All programs begin promptly at scheduled times. (Eastern Time Zone)

For a listing of all of our regular programs, visit:

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Potato Creek State Park Interpretive Service

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